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Hi Dave & Christine,

Allison sent me the weekly blurb NOAA developed. See below. Do we want to use the same blurb?

#### **NOAA and EPA Disapprove Oregon's Coastal Nonpoint Program (OCM)**

On January 30, 2015, NOAA and EPA will notify Oregon that the state has failed to submit a fully approvable coastal nonpoint program under section 6217 of the Coastal Zone Act Reauthorization Amendments. The two agencies have found that the state has not satisfied its nonpoint source requirements related to forestry. This decision was made after carefully considering public comments received and additional information the state provided in response to NOAA and EPA's December 2013 proposed decision. The statute calls for NOAA and EPA to withhold a portion of the state's funding under Section 306 of the Coastal Zone Management Act and Section 319 of the Clean Water Act, respectively, when the agencies disapprove a state's program. The agencies are still considering when penalties would be applied but it could be as early as July 2015.

## **Ex. 5 - Deliberative**

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